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1. MEXICO CITY ENGLISH-LANGUAGE NEWS 12 AUG CARRIES FOLLOW-UP STORY ON THAYER WALDO BY PEARL GONZALEZ. GIST FOLLOWS.
2. THAYER WALDO REPORTED 11 AUGUST TO BE WORKING ON A NEWS STORY FOR "FRAPARTS" MAGAZINE. WHILE A SPOKESMAN FOR "FRAPARTS" SAID WALDO HAS AN ASSIGNMENT FOR THE MAGAZINE, HE DECLINED TO SAY EXACTLY WHAT THE ASSIGNMENT IS OR WHERE WALDO LOCATED.
3. WHEN THE NEWS CONTACTED WILLIAM TURNER, STAFF WRITER OF THE CALIFORNIA MAGAZINE AT NOON 11 AUG, HE SAID "I JUST TALKED TO WALDO FIVE MINUTES AGO. THERE'S NO STORY. HE'S JUST BUSY TRAVELING, WHICH IS WHY HE hasn't WRITTEN TO ANYONE OR WHY HE hasn't LEFT A FORWARDING ADDRESS. EVEN AS WE WUNG UP, HE WAS GETTING READY TO LEAVE FOR ANOTHER CITY."

4. TURNER WENT ON TO SAY THAT WALDO EXPLAINED HIS RESIGNATION FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AND HIS RETIRING FROM PRESSURE'S APPLIED TO HIS CONTROLLING THE GENERAL AMERICAN BUSINESS ENTERPRISES FOLLOWING HIS TALK WITH THE JOURNALISTS' COMMITTEE FRIENDS CLUB IN SEPTEMBER. THE JOURNALISTS' COMMITTEE FRIENDS CLUB IS LOCATED IN THE WARDEN BUILDING.

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ANGELES, IN JULY, TURNER SAID, WIRED HIS RESIGNATION TO UN,  
 THEN FOLLOWED UP WITH A LETTER TO DR. D. RAY LINDLEY, PRESIDENT  
 OF UN. FROM LOS ANGELES WALDO CONTINUED TO SAN FRANCISCO WHERE  
 HE CONTACTED TRAVERS AND WAS PUT TO WORK ON TEMPORARY BASIS.  
 TURNER CONCLUDED BY SAYING WALDO "DEFINITELY NOT PUT OUT OF  
 MEXICO."

5. TWO PROFESSORS AT UN SAID THEY WEREN'T SURPRISED AT  
 WALDO'S RESIGNATION SINCE HE HAD BEEN DISLOVING HIS JOB. ONE  
 PROFESSOR ATTRIBUTED THIS TO THE FACT WALDO UNDER GREATOUS  
 EMOTIONAL STRAIN SINCE HIS WIFE ALLEGEDLY IN STATES UNITED  
 FOR DEGREE ON DIVORCE SHE FILED SEVERAL MONTHS AGO.

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